

White Wins Over Saylor by Knockout—Cofall is Tried in New Position

REFEREE SPOILED COFFEY'S CHANCE WITH CHAMPION

Manager Claims Decision Was Hasty as Jim's Brain Would Have Been Cleared in a Few Minutes.

By Frank G. Menke.
NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—A squint down the long winding lane of pugilism convinces one that, after all, there may be a lot of justification for the way that Billy Gibson let loose after his protegee, Jim Coffey, was declared out while still on his feet in the third round of that recent bout with Frank Moran, the red-headed heavyweight.

"When Referee Brown stopped that fight I'll admit that Coffey was groggy," said Gibson, "but this grogginess was temporary only. In another minute or two his brain would have cleared and he surely would have recuperated, given Moran a battle all alone—and won out in the end."

"I think Brown's ruling was a hasty one—and I'll always think that way. His ruling puts a black mark on Coffey's record and for the time being has killed Coffey's chances of meeting Willard."

"Those who have followed the ring game for many years know that there are hundreds of incidents where a fighter, groggy and seemingly on the point of dropping to the mat has recuperated and won out."

That Ryan-Smith Bout.
Gibson points to the Tommy Ryan-Smith bout, staged in Coney Island years ago, as one instance to support his claim that a groggy almost helpless fighter can "come back" and win.

"Ryan was hanging onto the ropes, a pitiful looking object," said Gibson. "Smith rushed in and shot a blow at Ryan's head. He intended it to be a finisher, but instead that blow cleared Ryan's brain and he came around instantly, fought like a wild man—and won."

"The Bombardier Wells-Palmer fight, fought in New York a few years ago, is a more recent instance," continued Gibson. "Wells gave Palmer a terrific beating in the first round and in the second Palmer was in such shape that the crowd begged the referee to stop the bout and prevent further injury to the third-round, in that third round Palmer came out of his daze, shot a terrific wallop to Wells' stomach—and Wells went down for the complete count."

Years ago Kid McCoy and Tom Sharkey met. The Kid started off by landing a punch on Sharkey that was so terrific that the big Irishman went down like an ox. Sharkey couldn't get up but he held on to the ropes and saved him. Throughout the early rounds, McCoy cut Sharkey to ribbons, but Sharkey recuperated—and won.

Other Come Backs.
"Joe Wolcott made a chopping block out of Kid Lavigne in the early rounds of their wonderful fight. The crowd insistently pleaded with the referee to stop the 'slaughter' of the white man. But he didn't—and the 'Kid' came back and won."

"Peter Maher knocked Bob Fitzsimmons flat—but Bob won out in the end. Maher won from Choyinski after the wonderful few had made a chopping bag of him in the early fighting. Terry McGovern was in an almost helpless condition during one stage of his fight with Oscar Gardner—yet Terry won the fight."

Battling Nelson never won an important fight until after his foes had battered him almost to a pulp.

"When Coffey fought A. Reich he was groggy in the first round, but he won by a knockout. Jim Flynn, Arthur Pelkey and Jack ('Twin') Sullivan had Coffey dazed and seemingly helpless but Coffey came back and beat each of them—and with a knockout punch."

"I know that Brown did what he thought was fair and honorable, but I always will feel that if the fight had continued Coffey's grogginess would have disappeared and that he would have beaten Moran decisively."

BASKET BALL MEN AT HIGH TO GET BUSY

Immediately after the close of the football season next Saturday the basketball men will be called together, and with a day's rest between the two sports, practice for the winter game will begin Tuesday afternoon.

A number of new men will have to be developed for positions and hot fights are predicted for every berth. The schedule as planned by Coach Metzler will be announced in a few days.

GERMAN TURNERS LOSE.
Fast team work on the part of the Laurel school basketball team was responsible for a victory over the German Turner hall team Tuesday evening, the score being 27 to 7 in favor of the Laurel five. Jones and Strauss, forwards for the Laurels, scored 19 of their team's points, Jones setting five baskets and Jones contributing four baskets and one basket from a foul.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Statistics published today show that Cornell leads all the other eastern football teams in the total of scoring points. The Ithaca eleven has rolled up 263 points. Syracuse is second with 252, Pittsburgh third with 227 and Colgate fourth with 223.

LISMORE

Lismore 2 1/2 in. Huron 2 1/2 in.

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Kilbane Draws Suspension



JOHNNY KILBANE

The Wisconsin athletic commission is now a respecter of persons. Even champions feel the strength of the commission's power when that body is aroused.

At a recent meeting of the commission, Johnny Kilbane, feather-weight champion of the world, was suspended for failing to appear in answer to a charge that he did not do his best in a recent bout with Ritchie Mitchell in Milwaukee.

The suspension, which means that Kilbane will not be allowed to participate in any bouts in Wisconsin, will stand until the champ appears and satisfactorily explains his alleged dilatory tactics in the Mitchell bout.

"No more stalling" seems to be the slogan of the Wisconsin board and it would be well some other state boards adopted it also.

HERRMANN HOLDS PLACE

Will Serve Another Year as President of the Reds.

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 17.—Garry Herrmann, chairman of the national commission, will serve for another year as president of the Cincinnati National league.

His election at the directors' meeting yesterday quieted rumors that there was friction between Herrmann and the other heavy stockholders of the club. Harry Stephens was re-elected as secretary of the club and Louis Widrig was named as treasurer.

TWO PLAYERS DROPPED

Members of Michigan Aggies' Eleven Are Professionals.

LANSING, Mich., Nov. 17.—Because they played with a semi-professional football team in Detroit last Sunday, Blake Miller and Jerry Deprato, stars of this year's Michigan Aggies eleven, have been dropped from the team by Coach Macklin. Miller and Deprato have been considered two of the best football players the Aggies ever had. They were also stars at basketball.

WHITE SCORES REVENGE

Knocks Out Milburn Saylor After 90 Seconds of Scraping.

BOSTON, Nov. 17.—Charley White, the Chicago lightweight, scored his revenge over Milburn Saylor, the Indianapolis fighter, in their bout here last night. Saylor had previously won from the windy city scrapper. White's return came last night. He put over the sleep producing punch after 90 seconds of fighting, knocking his man twice before knocking him out.

WILL ERECT SPEEDWAY

Los Angeles to Have Circuit For Automobile Races.

CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—C. D. Magee, secretary of the organization committee of the Los Angeles Speedway corporation, was here today to offer the presidency of the company to Col. William M. Garland, a wealthy Californian. While here he will inspect the Chicago automobile speedway, a duplicate of which will be erected in Los Angeles.

HEAVIES MEET TONIGHT

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 17.—Fred Fulton of Rochester, Minn., was a 2 to 1 favorite today over Andre Anderson of Chicago, heavyweight title aspirant. The two giants met here tonight in a 10-round affair that likely will end the championship chances of one of them.

CHRISTIE WINS BATTLE

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Nov. 17.—Gus Christie of Milwaukee had Tommy Gavigan of Cleveland, hanging to the ropes in the sixth round of their scheduled 10-round fight. Last night, Christie scored a knockdown 26 seconds after the battle began.

ST. PAUL, Nov. 17.—Tom Gibbons, brother of Mike Gibbons, won over Harry Greb of Pittsburgh in 16 rounds last night. Greb received an unmerciful beating during the last two rounds, but he was game throughout the battle.

ON THE GREENCLOTH

Stueckle defeated Christman by the score of 100 to 71 last night at the Bredemus billiard rooms in the east side billiard and pocket tournament.

Bredemus defeated Christman in class A by 100 to 52. Hankey defeated Welch 100 to 71. The tournament, which has been running for two months is proving of great interest and a number of players are tied for first place at present.

A. Matthes and Wilfong of class B will battle tonight for 100 points, and Erhardt and Bean will play 100 points.

YOUNG AHEARN TO MEET MIKE GIBBONS

Battle in December in St. Paul.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Young Ahearn at last gets a chance to earn some real money. The class middleweight was signed up Tuesday to fight Mike Gibbons, the one time phantom, 10 rounds. The scene of this battle will be in St. Paul, Minn., where Mike lives and the time will be either Dec. 3 or 7. The men will weigh in at 155 pounds ringside so as to make the scrap a strictly middleweight affair.

The main and most vital part of the arrangement is that Ahearn will receive \$5,000 with the privilege of a liberal percentage.

There is a possibility that the Minnesota boxing commission will allow the referee to give a decision and that the winner will be acknowledged middleweight champion of the world, Al McCoy notwithstanding.

SUTTON BEATS SLOSSON

Overcomes Handicap and Wins in National Bank Line Tournament.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Playing with a handicap of 100 points, George Sutton Tuesday night defeated George Slosson with a handicap of 125. The score was 500 to 425. The match was at 18.2 ball line and was one of the handicap tournament now in progress.

Wednesday afternoon Joseph Mayer of Philadelphia, the former amateur champion, will meet Koji Yamada, the Japanese premier, at the same. In the evening Willie Hoppe will meet George Slosson.

MILWAUKEE PLAYER WINS

Hascall Beats Stone of New York in Interstate Billiard Match.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—In a game lasting 116 minutes, R. S. Hascall, representing Milwaukee, defeated Joseph Stone of New York, Tuesday night. The score was 50 to 47. It was a championship game of the Interstate Three-Cushion Billiard league and was played at Thimas. Each made a high run of three.

WILL SELECT CIRCUIT

PORT WAYNE, Ind., Nov. 17.—The Central league executive board will meet here on Nov. 30. Portraits will be posted for the 1916 season, and the make up of next year's circuit will be discussed.

BOWLING SCORES

C. A. C. LEAGUE.

S. B. Robinson	168	158	161	490
Campbell	168	154	155	477
Moresch	161	159	159	480
Schneider	213	171	151	535
Haugan	159	172	151	482
Handicap	55	35	35	105
Totals	904	848	775	2527

CURBS.

Warner	113	156	146	415
Pallock	123	159	138	421
Bruggner	139	147	156	442
Adler	118	136	155	409
Foss	153	143	149	445
Handicap	372	172	172	716
Totals	844	969	915	2528

UNITED LEAGUE.

NOXALIS.				
Baumgartner	220	179	199	598
Maclyn	158	157	190	494
Shook	137	156	150	443
Reyers	123	179	149	451
Krueger	211	120	184	515
Totals	879	791	812	2482

EAGLES.

Schmidt	186	146	208	540
Fahlsstrom	202	204	173	579
Atvas	174	181	183	538
H. C. Morrison	223	176	171	570
Hager	154	208	166	528
Totals	939	965	901	2805

MAGYAR LEAGUE.

F. Segedi	134	166	163	463
J. Wallish	155	155	167	477
J. Kovach	178	167	163	508
M. Alhey	155	139	163	457
V. Atvas	181	181	172	534
Totals	803	809	886	2510

MAGYAR HAZ.

C. Nerges	123	165	164	452
J. Nerges	141	151	153	445
S. Bokany	179	137	145	461
S. Kish	132	171	162	465
M. Kish	146	158	153	457
Totals	724	856	837	2417

NEWS-TIMES TRIO LEAGUE.

MAKUPS.				
Hagey	126	169	142	437
Wardlaw	114	163	158	435
Marcellus	114	163	158	435
Handicap	58	58	58	174
Totals	449	511	502	1528

OPERATORS.

Lindahl	128	119	135	442
Cutshaw	123	137	153	413
Fiedler	167	161	154	482
Handicap	58	58	58	174
Totals	476	475	499	1454

COSMOS.

Merrill	86	92	94	272
Cook	73	124	87	284
Clark	186	170	167	523
Handicap	95	95	95	285
Totals	440	481	443	1364

REPORTERS.

Fall	145	111	128	384
Low	93	138	135	366
Low score	73	92	87	252
Handicap	113	108	113	334
Totals	426	449	463	1338

PRINTERS' LEAGUE.

S. B. ENG. CO.				
Koontz	151	182	140	473
Miller	131	158	113	402
Tracy	124	154	134	392
Koenig	156	127	132	415
Nicolay	129	145	159	433
Handicap	79	79	79	237
Totals	730	816	777	2323

HIBBERDIT.

Alford	127	125	115	367
Hahn	115	155	131	401
Brown	121	121	95	337
Andrews	100	112	130	343
Hibberd	124	124	124	372
Handicap	133	153	153	439
Totals	800	841	764	2395

TRIBUNE.

Yon	154	118	124	396
Koenig	139	135	136	407
Knoblock	121	131	148	400
Greening	133	182	178	553
Wardlaw	124	154	134	392
Handicap	82	82	82	246
Totals	858	806	862	2526

NEWS-TIMES.

Murray	148	179	91	408
Krueger	127	169	89	385
Rosler	154	154	160	468
Rutherford	161	146	164	471
Wirth	142	148	129	419
Handicap	121	121	121	363
Totals	854	833	788	2475

HARDY NO. 1.

Ruple	120	142	161	423
Pinell	109	140	146	435
Pinell	124	134	134	392
Taubel	154	95	142	391
Niswanger	123	130	121	374
Handicap	135	135	135	405
Totals	733	805	915	2553

PEERLESS PRESS.

McHugh	137	132	122	391
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Alford	125	138	158	421
Achenback	154	139	111	397
LaFurture	69	157	134	360
Handicap	106	166	166	438
Totals	742	865	799	2406

IND. ENG. CO.

Desjardins	100	149	150	399
Rumpf	132	178	147	457
Misley	163	124	141	428
Walsh	158	146	133	437
Betz	169	115	165	450
Handicap	78	78	78	234
Totals	771	799	814	2375

HARDY NO. 2.

Burke	164	117	109	390
E. Engle	101	113	113	327
McClure	79	108	98	285
Engle	85	148	85	318
Low score	114	132	135	401
Handicap	153	153	153	459
Totals	737	708	776	2281

STUDEBAKER GIRLS' LEAGUE.

MARY ANN CLUB.				
Peters	137	117	78	404
Guthrie	105	172	182	459
Carr	132	86	125	343
Dutman	137	137	137	411
Heebster	90	114	117	321
Totals	535	567	618	1720

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

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Vankirk	195	158	157	510
Dolph	168	161	175	504
Low score	132	121	144	397
Lucas	136	172	134	442
Richards	164	173	178	515
Handicap	62	62	62	186